

# The Hondo Anvil Herald.

NO TOWN EVER GREW  
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HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 17, 1939.

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THE ANVIL, EST'D 1886  
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Here in HONDO

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Read  
The two-page  
Center spread in this  
Issue of The Anvil Herald;  
The Green Tag Store offers many  
gains  
That will save the thrift-wise  
from  
Goods in an endless variety to select  
from.

Jack Drotcourt Jr. of Freer spent  
week-end here with Mrs. Drotcourt.

DULOVA WATCHES—Perfect  
at WINDROW DRUG  
STORE.

FOR SALE—Seed oats free of  
Johnson grass. REUS BROS., Hon-  
do, Texas. 6tpd.

Mr. R. L. Jennings returned Fri-  
day from a several days' business  
trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Batot of  
Carrizo Springs spent Sunday with  
relatives here.

Two registered Poland-China boars  
for sale; 11 weeks of age; litter  
of 12. LACY BROS. 2tc.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Rahm of San  
Antonio spent Sunday here with her  
other, Mrs. Jacob Reilly.

Clinton Jagge was out from San  
Antonio last Sunday visiting his par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Jagge.

FOR SALE—Mesquite wood at  
25¢ per cord on place. OSCAR  
ESTER, D'Hanis, Texas. 4tpd.

Mrs. B. R. Eichenroht of San An-  
tonio spent several days this week  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J.  
Ricks.

FOR SALE—One Oliver Triple-  
seater Sulky Plow, in good condition.  
Apply to ARTHUR NESTER,  
D'Hanis. 4tpd.

Muriel Stiegler, student of A. &  
Kingsville, spent the week-end  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A.  
Negler.

Trade goes where it is invited; it  
says where it is well treated. Are  
you inviting trade to your business  
through an ad in this paper?

Miss Patricia Ney, Incarnate Word  
College student, was here from San  
Antonio last week-end visiting her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ney.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reilly and fam-  
ily went to George West last week-  
end to visit their daughter, Miss  
Lena Reilly, who teaches there.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schultze  
and little son, Dickie, of San Antonio  
were week-end guests of her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Filleman.

Miss Betty Jean Merriman, South-  
western University co-ed, George-  
town, spent the week-end here with  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry  
Merriman.

James Bailey came up from Rio  
Grande City for a week-end visit  
to Mrs. Bailey, who is here visit-  
ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray-  
mond Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilliam and  
daughter, Georgia Ann, were  
from Corpus Christi Sunday  
visiting Mrs. Isaac Wilson and other  
relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmar Haegelin and  
son, Miss Lillian Hoffman of  
San Diego, Texas, were the week-end  
guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
L. Haegelin.

FOR SALE: Used furniture; small  
heater; 50-lb. capacity ice box;  
day iron bedstead and gas cook-  
stove. Phone 127-3 rings or apply at  
Anvil Herald office.

Mrs. Alice Bertrier had as her  
guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rudy  
Zahberg, Mr. and Mrs. McAndrew,  
Miss Shaw, Miss O'Brien, Miss  
Bill and Mrs. Brandt, all of San An-  
tonio.

Mrs. Thos. B. Knopp returned  
Friday from a several days' visit  
with her daughter, Miss Evelyn  
Knopp, in St. Charles, Missouri. Miss  
Knopp is attending Lindenwood  
College.

FOR RENT—Five-room and hall  
bungalow on highway; remodeled, new  
inside and outside; new paper;  
complete bathroom fixtures with hot-  
water heater. Phone 127-3 rings or  
apply at Anvil Herald office. 1tc.

Plan your social calendar to at-  
tend a Keno party, Sunday, Novem-  
ber 19th, at 7:30 P. M., in St. John's  
School, sponsored by the North zone  
of St. John's parish. Twenty-five  
games for 25¢; every game a 50¢  
game.

FOR SALE—Six-room house; 3  
bathrooms; with garage, chicken house and  
fruiting fences for chickens, gar-  
age, etc., \$1,000. \$200 down and  
balance in easy monthly payments.  
Phone 127-3 rings or apply at Anvil  
Herald Office.

Mr. F. M. Davis, of Paris, who is  
doing special highway engineering  
training at Austin for six weeks,  
spent the week-end here with his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis.  
He accompanied and returned with  
Temple Ingram, of Austin, who  
spent the week-end in Eagle Pass.  
Miss Octavia Davis of San Antonio  
joined her family here on Sun-  
day.

## COMMISSIONERS' COURT IN REGULAR SESSION

On November 13th, at 10 a. m.,  
the Commissioners' Court of Medina  
County was in regular session for  
the November term at the court-  
house. County Judge Arthur H.  
Rothe presided, and present were  
Commissioners Alfred A. Bader,  
Robert Rihn, Ben Koch and H. J.  
Hardcastle.

The County Judge presented for  
consideration an order authorizing  
the issuance of \$23,500.00 Medina  
County Road and Bridge Refunding  
Bonds for the purpose of cancelling  
refunding, and in lieu of a like  
amount of road and bridge warrants  
of the County. The order was pass-  
ed, having been duly published as re-  
quired by law, and the refunding  
bonds shall be dated November 14,  
1939, and will bear interest at the  
rate of three percent per annum.

The court heard a committee of  
citizens from the Sturm Hill district  
in Commissioners' Precincts Nos. 1  
and 2, requesting that the road con-  
necting the Castroville-Quilley-Dunlay  
road with Dunlay station be graveled  
and made passable in all weather.  
The Court agreed to comply with the  
request as soon as funds for the pur-  
pose are available.

The County Treasurer's vouchers  
and warrants for the third quarter  
of the year were examined, approved  
and cancelled by the Court.

The county case worker presented  
her monthly report, which was ac-  
cepted and ordered filed in the court  
records.

The Court ordered that \$7.00 be  
transferred from the General Fund to  
Road District No. 4 to cover cost  
of transporting C. C. C. boys to Gar-  
ner Park Camp.

The amount of \$75.00 was ordered  
paid to Mangold-Jungman and Man-  
gold for 1.81 acres of land at La-  
Coste to be used as a county dump  
ground.

## PASTOR AND FAMILY HONORED WITH RECEPTION

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Horger opened  
the doors of their home to the entire  
membership of the Methodist Church  
Friday evening from five to eight  
o'clock, in a reception given for the  
pastor, Rev. W. S. Highsmith, and  
family in honor of their return to  
Hondo for the fourth year. The lad-  
ies of the Missionary Society were  
hostesses for this occasion.

Receiving the guests were Mes-  
dames J. A. Horger, O. A. Fly, and  
Rev. and Mrs. Highsmith.

Bright lights and many beautiful  
flowers in baskets and vases were  
much in evidence in every room of  
this lovely home. In the dining room  
the table was spread with a beautiful  
lace cover with a large bowl of  
luscious fruit with pink tapers in  
silver candle holders as a centerpiece.  
The beautiful silver tea service at  
one end with spoons and Madeira  
linen napkins arranged so artisti-  
cally, the large trays filled with  
sandwiches and cookies at the other end,  
made the table look very tempting  
indeed.

At one side of the room a smaller  
table held a coffee service of pret-  
ty Mexican pottery ware looking  
very beautiful with its bright colors.

At these tables serving at inter-  
vals were Mesdames Theo. Cameron,  
Bill Windrow, Barnitz Carle, Richard  
Reilly, Theo. Barnes, A. H. Schweers,  
Misses Lora King, Lenora Schmidt  
and Willie D. Fly.

Although the norther and the rain  
prevented many from attending,  
those who were there declared it to  
be a most enjoyable affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Kollman  
and daughter, Patsy Lou, spent the  
week-end in Lockhart as guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wiede. Friday  
night they attended the Gonzales-  
Lockhart football game at Gonzales.

## E. R. LEINWEBER CO. TO BRING HOLLYWOOD PICTURE TO HONDO AT RAYE THEATRE

"Joel Gentry in Hollywood" to be  
Main Feature in Big Farmer Day

## Guardian of Life and Health



A reserve of 44,000 Red Cross registered nurses stands ready to aid in preserv-  
ing the life and health of the nation. Typical activity of Red Cross nurses is  
shown, working in clinic under doctor's supervision. Red Cross nurses are  
nation's reserve for Army, Navy and Government hospital service, and also to  
serve civilians in epidemic or disaster. The Red Cross Nursing Service is sup-  
ported by members who join the Red Cross during Roll Call, November 11 to 30.

## SPECIAL TRAIN TO CARRY FOOTBALL FANS TO DEL RIO TODAY

A special train, leaving the local  
station at 3:30 p. m. today (Friday),  
will carry the Hondo Owls football  
team, the Pep Squad, and Hondo  
fans, 250 strong, to Del Rio for the  
Owl-Wildcat game to be played there  
tonight. The clash between the two  
undefeated class A teams will be one  
of the most important games of the  
season and the Owls will have one of  
the largest backings of local fans in  
the history of the school.

Over 206 tickets for transporta-  
tion have already been sold and the  
number will be swelled by others  
who have signified intention of go-  
ing but had not secured tickets at the  
time of going to press Thursday  
night. The train will leave Hondo at  
3:30 p. m. and en route to Del Rio  
will make stops at D'Hanis, Sabinal  
and Uvalde for the purpose of ac-  
commodating fans from those towns.  
The round-trip ticket is \$1.85. With  
the addition of these fans, a capacity  
crowd is expected to use the six  
coaches, which, it is understood, will  
make up the special train. The  
train is due to arrive in Del Rio at  
6:15 p. m., in plenty of time for fans  
to reach the football field which is  
several blocks from the station. The  
Pep Squad girls will sell sandwiches  
and coffee on the train. Thirty  
minutes will be allowed passengers  
to reach the train after the game for  
the return trip.

The Del Rio High Wild Cats and  
the Hondo High Owls have records  
that are hard to duplicate and the  
result of the clash will probably de-  
cide the championship of District 37-  
A. Both the Owls and the Wild Cats,  
after having had a rest period on

their schedules last week, were put  
through hard workouts this week  
and should be in top shape for to-  
night's game. The Owls will go into  
the game outwheeled, but otherwise  
the teams are evenly matched and  
the picking of the winning team is  
practically a toss-up.

Messrs. F. H. Hollmig, H. W.  
Kollman and J. G. Barry formed the  
committee through whose efforts the  
special train was secured. These  
men are elated over the public's re-  
sponse in guaranteeing the train,  
and wish to hereby express their ap-  
preciation of the co-operation given  
them by the Hondo people.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Morning worship 10 A. M.  
Church School 11 A. M.  
Evening service at 7:30.

Rev. J. J. Mason, our District Su-  
perintendent, will preach at the  
evening service. At the close of this  
service the first quarterly conference  
of the year will be held.

You are cordially invited to our  
services.

W. S. HIGHSMITH,  
Pastor.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All taxpayers who wish to take  
advantage of the half payment plan  
will be required to make the first  
payment by November 30, 1939; the  
last half may be paid any time there-  
after up to June 30, 1940, without  
penalty. Poll taxes must be paid in  
full with the first half.

Respectfully,

L. E. HEATH,  
Assessor-Collector of Taxes.

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their families in this and neighboring  
communities.

According to E. R. Leinweber Co.,  
an all-Hollywood talking picture en-  
titled "Joel Gentry in Hollywood"  
will be the feature attraction of the  
days. This appealing new picture

## QUIHI NOTES.

And Jacob was left alone; and  
there wrestled a man with him until  
the breaking of the day. Gen. 32:24.

This was the fatal day to meet his  
brother Esau. His safety, his well-  
fare, his future hung in the balance.  
It was the day that must show  
whether his peace principles and  
peace negotiations were correctly  
balanced, his pre-arrangements and  
general calculations would carry the  
scheme and the day. A final measure  
was taken in the quiet of the night.  
He transferred family and crew,  
stock and equipment across the river  
Jabbok, comforting the troubled  
minds that were mystified by his pec-  
uliar action, with words of cheer  
and encouragement. No cause for  
worry. No reason to complain. All  
would turn out well. The Lord will  
see to that. He remained on this side  
of the ford. All alone. —Why? Play-  
ing safe? Planning desertion? A mo-  
ment of weakness that suggests,  
rather sacrifice the whole caboodle,  
family and all, than risking the own  
skin? If that's your price of peace,  
dear, materialistic brother, then take  
it, but let me out of it? There are  
such instances on record, where of-  
ficers took the first avenue of escape  
and left the crew at the bottom;  
where generals sent their soldiers in-  
to certain death while they them-  
selves scampered away; where kings  
and statesmen left their people in  
the lurch and they scurrying to safe-  
ty. Not so Jacob. —True, with a  
crisis approaching, momentous de-  
cisions impending, many look for iso-  
lation and quiet, so as to concentrate  
and deliberate with themselves, far  
away from the crowd and the noises  
that are apt to detract and befuddle  
the subject at hand. Not a few seek  
periodic tranquility and loneliness  
for a happy reverie of the past, "its  
pleasure and its pain" and they live  
life over again, with bygone familiar  
faces looking in, "the old refrain"  
sounding in the air, and rekindling  
old fires for a new glow in eyes and  
heart. It's worth the time. Perhaps  
some are in bad company, if left  
alone. They avoid it. It spells misery.  
So much comes back, grave mistakes,  
hasty action, temperamental tempests,  
rolling tears, groaning heartaches,  
accusing fingers. Wish the tycoons,  
the big fellows, the war-lords of the  
European east and west would retire  
into seclusion now and then. They  
might hear something of the agonies,  
lamentations, wallings and curses  
they have created by their bungling  
policies towards hegemony and su-  
premacy and prestige. They might  
see something of the devastation,  
fear and despair, some of those  
ghastly bodies torn to pieces, of  
those great armies of crippled survivors  
whose shattered bodies and  
hopes no Victoria cross, no "croix de  
guerre", no iron cross, no Congress-  
ional medal, no bonus, no pension  
and free hospitalization will ever  
heal and restore. —There are others  
that need that cool and collected iso-  
lation, desiring to be strictly left  
alone for a while. There is something  
that must be lived down, re-adjusted,  
remedied to make life again worth  
living. Forty years, Moses strolled in  
the lonely desert with his herd, med-  
itating on the fiasco, the ludicrous  
failure, of his self-chosen, self-willed  
strategy to liberate Israel enslaved  
in Egypt. It made him, very gradu-  
ally, receptive for the mission his God  
had in store for him. The prophet  
Elijah, alone with his ravens at the  
brook of Cherith, during the long  
and terrible famine, learned to bridle  
his impetuous and impatient temper.  
And John, in his dreary and lonely  
imprisonment at the behest of Her-  
od, learned to send disciples to Jesus  
for light and assurance. And the  
loneliness of a temporary blindness  
drove St. Paul deeper into the riches  
and holiness of the gospel he was to  
proclaim. And prior to important de-  
velopments, how often did Jesus re-

work should begin early in the  
new year on the 5.4 miles on No.  
173, which will take us 11.5 miles of  
Jourdanton to the junction of another  
highway. Work is expected to be-  
gin early in the new year on a 5.5  
miles letting west from here towards  
Biry. Hondo is to have a new bridge,  
we understand, on No. 90, and the  
road to Hondo will probably go that  
way from the terminus of 173. So  
far as we know Hondo has done little  
or nothing on their end of the new  
highway.—Devine News.

Thanks old man, for the need-  
ed(?) dig!

If that doesn't wake us up we are  
hopelessly asleep!

What do you say?

—oOo—

Jimmie Green, Uvalde football  
coach, made a speech at a meeting  
of the twelve school superintendents  
of this district last year, recommend-  
ing that if spectators carrying flasks  
and drinking at the high school foot-  
ball games could not be stopped, that  
football be abolished altogether. Now  
comes a press dispatch from Uvalde  
stating that a city ordinance has  
been passed prohibiting the carrying  
of flasks and drinking intoxicating  
liquors at football games. One can  
hardly conceive persons of so low  
ethics as to drink liquor on such an  
occasion in the presence of high  
school students. A bulletin from the  
State Department of Public Safety  
says that night football games are  
adding to traffic mortality due to  
traffic congestion. Drunken driving  
may be added. It is appalling to con-  
template that the morals and lives  
of our young people are thus jeopar-  
dized at football games, a sport laud-  
ed and supported because it is held  
as a character and body builder of  
youth.—Carrizo Springs Javelin.

tire to the lonely solitude of the  
mountain top. There was something  
significant, purposeful for Jacob in  
that loneliness of Jacob, with an-  
other silent and holy night spreading  
its wings over him and the waters of  
Jabbok gurgling, purring, singing or  
moaning their own melody. What  
was it all about? "And there  
wrestled a man with him." Just a  
wrestling bout, for fun, for a prize,  
for recognition, a trophy, public ac-  
claim? A few lines on this later on.

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Last Sunday we did the last hon-  
ors to Mrs. John G. Bohlen. A long  
and painful malady had held this  
worthy lady in its ravages and caused  
much alarm and anxiety at various  
times. The Lord has made a finish  
that might look disappointing to us  
at this side, but at the other side  
things look different for her, a con-  
sistent and upright Christian. Our  
heartfelt sympathy goes with that of  
her many other friends.

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Mrs. Chas. Nietenhoefer, we were  
glad to observe, is making fine head-  
ways to a complete recovery and  
early at that. Here rejoicing is in  
order.

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By substitution, we also had oc-  
casion to be at the bedside of Mrs.  
Herman Reus, who went through a  
hard ordeal at the hospital last week.  
Also here conditions look very favor-  
able, and there are many at home  
and among the community that will  
welcome her arrival at home.

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Announcements for November 17:  
German service at 10:30; service at  
New Fountain at 2; Sunday school  
and Bible class at 9:30; Luther  
League program at 7:15 P. M. Come  
if you possibly can. You are cordial-  
ly invited. —C. W.

## POSTED.

My ranch formerly known as Har-  
ley Eckhart ranch. No hunting or  
trespassing of any kind.  
Stpd. HOWARD G. HAY.



# LOCAL & PERSONAL

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Your town when  
You patronize its advertisers;  
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WINDROW'S orders flowers. tf  
GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM  
RUGS. LEINWEBER'S.

**BABY CHICKS EVERY WEEK  
AT MUMME'S HATCHERY.** tf  
FOR HEMSTITCHING SEE MRS.  
OSCAR BATOT AT RESIDENCE. 5t  
Mr. Robert Denum of Lufkin, Texas,  
is here visiting Mr. Jim Duncan,  
and enjoying a deer hunt.

**EARLY AMERICAN OLD SPICE  
Shaving Sets and Toilet Sets just arrived.** See them at FLY DRUG CO.  
Louis Ward, son of Mrs. Lucella  
Ward of Yancey, had an appendix  
operation November 13th at Medina  
Hospital.

Before renewing or subscribing for  
any magazine see us at the Anvil  
Herald office and save money on  
our club rates. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Rihn of  
Biry are the happy parents of a baby  
girl, born November 11, 1939, at the  
Medina Hospital.

Mrs. Herman Reus underwent a  
major operation on November 9th at  
Medina Hospital and is now reported  
doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman spent  
Saturday in Austin visiting their son,  
Anthony, who is a student of the  
University of Texas.

Miss Nell Foley attended the S. M.  
U. Texas A. and M. football game at  
College Station last week-end, and  
several days this week attended  
special meetings for county home  
demonstration agents in San Antonio  
and Austin.

## VISITS OLD STAMPING GROUND

The managing editor of this paper,  
on the occasion of a visit to Austin  
Monday, enjoyed an all too brief  
visit with Commissioner of Agriculture  
J. E. McDonald, and several of  
his office force, including his Chief  
Clerk, Chas. E. Baughman, and a few  
of his former associates when he too  
was an employee of the Department.  
Since he resigned from the Department  
eighteen years ago on the last  
day of October just passed, the personnel  
of the office force and the office  
fixtures have increased to where  
he had to have a guide to find his  
way around the maze of desks, filing  
cabinets, etc., where once was a familiar  
stamping ground of unobstructed  
dimensions. And there have been  
other changes. The division of  
Farmers Institutes in which he began  
his service with the Department was  
long since discontinued. The division  
of Markets to which he was transferred  
has been enlarged by the transfer  
of the Warehouse Department to the  
Department of Agriculture. And by  
the way, the present Chief Clerk,  
Mr. Baughman, enjoys the distinction  
of having joined the then Commissioner  
of Agriculture, Geo. B. Terrell, in recommending  
the consolidation while serving as Director  
of the Warehouse Department, an act  
that is said to have never been duplicated  
by the active head of any other  
state department. While thus enlarging  
in some respects, the Division of  
Statistics, to which the managing editor  
was appointed by Commissioner  
Terrell and from which he later resigned,  
has also been discontinued. While  
the old familiar faces were missed,  
the visit was a pleasant one  
and the courtesies shown deeply appreciated.

## NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

We have taken charge of the Pioneer  
Oil Sales Co. Agency, for wholesale  
and retail sale of oil and  
gas, and are operating the auto service  
station on the highway across  
the tracks from Cameron's machine  
shop in East Hondo. The patronage  
of the motoring public is solicited.  
Phone 42.

EDGAR SPROTT.  
THEO. CAGLE.

## BARBECUE PIT.

I have opened a barbecue pit next  
to the OST Service Station, on the  
Highway, and will fill orders for the  
home every day. Give me a call.  
THE ROSE CASTLE 1pd.  
BARBECUE AND COFFEE  
SHOP.

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Honest ambitious man to work  
locally on Annual Offer. Every home  
a prospect. Liberal commission.  
Write, state age, give reference.  
Must have car and willing to cover  
rural area. Post Office Box 2171,  
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Pound on the Anvil, and Herald  
your wares.—Consistent advertising  
gets you there.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W.  
Speece, at residence opposite north-  
west corner of courthouse. tf

FOR SALE—Purebred White  
Leghorn cockerels. WALTER J.  
SAATHOFF, Phone 961F3, Hondo,  
Texas. 2tc.

Cooper's Cattle Dip, testing fluid  
and tablets. Cutter Blacklegol Vaccine.  
—Large supply at WINDROW  
DRUG STORE. tf

BICE'S TIC-DED, a general live-  
stock oil spray for destruction of  
ticks and lice on sheep, goats and cattle.  
Sold at FLY DRUG CO.

FOR SALE—6-room brick house,  
with 2½ acres of ground—good  
well, garage—\$2000. Terms. Phone  
127-3 rings or apply at Anvil Herald  
office. tf

Sixteen ounces of prevention;  
guard against throat infection by  
using THYBORENE ANTISEPTIC  
MOUTH WASH. 39c at FLY  
DRUG CO.

COME IN AND SEE OUR TRUE-  
TONE RADIOS. STYLES AND  
PRICES THAT WILL PLEASE  
YOU. WESTERN AUTO ASSOCI-  
ATE STORE, H. W. KOLLMAN—  
HONDO.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knorr of  
Kingsville spent the week-end with  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E.  
Haass. They were accompanied to  
Kingsville Sunday by Miss Ada Belle  
Carter who will be their guest for  
several weeks.

FOR SALE: Piano. Standard size  
in fine condition, stored in Hondo.  
Will sacrifice rather than return in-  
strument to San Antonio. For loca-  
tion and easy terms, write  
CRITCHETT PIANO CO., 1907 W.  
Woodlawn, San Antonio, Texas. 3tc.

FOR SALE: Three-room and porch  
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house with two lots for \$350.00. In-  
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3 rings. tf

Fred Bader, Baylor University  
student, was here Friday visiting  
homefolks and was accompanied  
back to Waco Saturday by John Henry  
Jennings who spent the week-end  
with him and attended the Texas  
University-Baylor University foot-  
ball game.

Mrs. Jacob Reilly arrived home  
Sunday from a month's visit in  
Waynesboro, Miss., with her son,  
Mr. J. M. Reilly, and family. Mrs.  
Reilly was very happy over her trip,  
reporting a very delightful visit. She  
also visited relatives in Marshall,  
Texas, on the trip going to Missis-  
sippi.

Albert L. Ihnken sends us this  
week a renewal of his subscription  
and a change of address from La-  
Coste to Route 9, San Antonio. Mr.  
Ihnken is in ill health and moved to  
San Antonio to be nearer medical at-  
tention. His many Medina County  
friends hope that he will soon again  
be enjoying good health.

Mrs. Gale E. Ellis, Miss Helen  
Crawford and Miss Margaret Ann  
Knopp attended the Fritz Kreisler  
violin concert in San Antonio Wed-  
nesday night. They were honored  
with the privilege of sitting on the  
stage during the program, meeting  
and talking to the noted artist fol-  
lowing the concert and receiving his  
autograph.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crow, Mrs. H.  
H. Crow and Mrs. R. L. Jennings  
spent the week-end in Corpus Chris-  
ti, and while there attended the Pal-  
estine-Corpus Christi football game  
on November 11th. Mr. and Mrs.  
W. T. Crow were guests of her sister,  
Mrs. Jimmy Howell, and Mr.  
Howell, who was in the hospital with  
a foot injury sustained in an oil field  
accident. Mrs. H. H. Crow and Mrs.  
Jennings were guests of their daugh-  
ter and sister, Mrs. J. U. Sheppard  
and family.

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## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS.

Pursuant to a call of the Presi-  
dent, Joe H. Burgin, there was a  
meeting of the members of the  
Chamber of Commerce in the lobby  
of the Hondo Hotel Tuesday night.  
There were some sixteen or eighteen  
members present, and President Burgin  
presided.

In the annual election of Direct-  
ors, the three whose terms were ex-  
piring, Joe H. Burgin, W. F. Guadian  
and Rudolph Rath were re-elected,  
each for a term of three years.

A resolution was passed asking  
the business people to decorate their  
places of business in observance of  
Christmas.

Secretary Lawrence Brucks read  
a brief financial statement and re-  
ported that the annual membership  
fees of one dollar are now due for  
the ensuing fiscal year beginning  
December 1, 1939. He also reported  
the dump-ground fund, collected sev-  
eral years ago and left in the bank,  
applied in assisting the county in  
financing the new dump ground and  
the account closed.

A committee on repainting the  
welcoming sign on the east side of  
town and the placing of a similar one  
on the west side reported progress,  
and was given more time in which to  
complete its work.

Mrs. Hoy extended an invitation  
to the body to meet at the Hotel at  
any time they wished and served  
those present with coffee and cakes.  
She was given a rising vote of  
thanks, and the meeting adjourned  
subject to call of the President.

## HONORED WITH SURPRISE PARTY.

Mrs. Louis Nietenhoefer was hon-  
ored with a surprise birthday dinner  
on Sunday, Nov. 12. At noon a din-  
ner was spread which everyone had  
helped to prepare by bringing some-  
thing such as meat, salad and cake.  
The afternoon was spent in playing  
cards. At about five o'clock supper  
was served. Mrs. Nietenhoefer re-  
ceived many useful and pretty gifts.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs.  
Louis Nietenhoefer, Mr. and Mrs.  
Henry Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry  
Loessberg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry  
Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nieten-  
hoefer, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nieten-  
hoefer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nieten-  
hoefer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al-  
fred Breiten and family, Mr. and  
Mrs. Arnold Nietenhoefer and fam-  
ily, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Howell and  
daughter of San Antonio, Mr. August  
Loessberg of San Antonio, Mrs. Rosa  
Boehle, Misses Lucille Boehle, Eileen,  
Lydia and Bernice Nietenhoefer;  
Messrs. Herbert and Stanley Saath-  
off, Merlin and John Henry Boehle,  
and Marvin Nietenhoefer.

At about 9 o'clock in the evening,  
everyone had departed for their  
homes, wishing Mrs. Nietenhoefer  
many more happy returns of the day.  
Several of her relatives could not be  
present. —Contributed.

## ROLL CALL DRIVE UNDER WAY.

Mr. W. T. Crow, local roll call  
chairman for the National Red  
Cross, informed us that the Red  
Cross membership drive got under  
way Wednesday of this week, with  
Mr. F. X. Vance, Rev. W. S. High-  
smith and himself canvassing the  
business district. Compared to the  
response of the people of Hondo in  
former years and in face of the  
great need for increased membership  
due to the demand on the Red Cross  
by foreign conflicts and disasters at  
home, Mr. Crow says the result of  
the drive so far has been disappoint-  
ing. Next week, however, a canvass  
of the residential district will be  
made, and with roll call lists at Fly  
Drug Company, Windrow's Drug  
Store and Hollmig's Dress Shop for  
the benefit of those who could not  
be reached and wish to join the Red  
Cross, it is hoped the members will  
far overreach those of former years.  
Of every dollar membership fee col-  
lected, one-half of the amount re-  
mains in Medina County for use for  
those in need.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Herman Koch honored her  
mother-in-law, Mrs. Nic Koch, with  
a party Thursday afternoon, Novem-  
ber 9th, the occasion being her 79th  
birthday anniversary. About 34  
guests, relatives and friends, were  
present to help make the party a  
joyous one.

The living room and dining room  
were decorated with pot plants and  
yellow and white chrysanthemums.  
The birthday cake, a large angel  
food iced in white with pink roses,  
had the numerals of the honoree's  
anniversary marked in white candles.

Refreshments of birthday cake,  
chicken sandwiches, macaroons and  
coffee were served.

About five o'clock the guests left  
for their homes extending to the  
honoree their best wishes for many  
more happy birthdays and leaving  
with her to keep the memory of the  
day bright an array of lovely birth-  
day gifts.

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ture. Hunting allowed in other two  
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CABLE'S CONFECTIONERY. tf

Mrs. Mary Grunewald of Yancey  
underwent a minor operation Novem-  
ber 16th at Medina Hospital.

**DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST, OF-  
FICE AT RESIDENCE (1 block E.  
of courthouse). PHONE 39.**

Mrs. Cora Sittre of Rio Medina  
entered Medina Hospital on Novem-  
ber 14th for several days medical  
treatment.

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San Antonio Express at the Anvil  
Herald office. Special low cost club-  
bing rate with Farming. tf

**HOT DOGS AND COFFEE FOR  
SALE ALL DAY SAT., NOV. 18,  
FOR BENEFIT OF H. E. III GIRLS.  
STAND ON NORTH FRONT ST.**

**THE CARD PARTY AT UPPER  
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FROM SAT., NOV. 11, TO SAT.,  
NOV. 18. EVERYBODY INVITED.**

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Mr. H. T. Bardin, project superin-  
tendent for the Medina Electric Co-  
operative Inc., was a business visitor  
in Austin Wednesday on matters  
pertaining to the R. E. A.

H. E. HAASS, Attorney-at-Law,  
Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hon-  
do, Texas. All legal matters care-  
fully attended to, in all courts of  
Texas. Manager Medina County Ab-  
stract Company. tf

Miss Evelyn Barnes, who was tem-  
porarily located at the farm security  
administration office in Kennedy for  
the past few months, Wednesday of  
this week was transferred back to  
the Hondo office.

Mrs. Clara Nickle, a daughter of  
the late John B. Lutz, was out from  
San Antonio Wednesday on business  
and paid our office a pleasant call.  
She and her brothers and sisters are  
offering the old homestead for sale.

Mr. J. M. Saathoff, ever mindful  
of old times, old ways and old  
friends, reminds us that Saturday,  
November 11th, was the tenth anni-  
versary of the burial of his old com-  
rade, Oscar de Montel, with whom he  
rode the Kansas trail back in 1883.

**PLAN YOUR SOCIAL CALEN-  
DAR TO ATTEND A KENO, SUN-  
DAY, NOVEMBER 19th, AT 7:30  
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Lt. Clem K. Wurzbach, who has  
been stationed at Barksdale Field,  
La., since his graduation from the  
Kelly Field flying school, has been  
transferred back to San Antonio and  
will be stationed at Randolph Field  
for about three months. Lt. Wurzbach  
is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J.  
Wurzbach of Cliff.

Postmaster Lawrence Brucks was  
host to thirty or more third and  
fourth class postmasters from sev-  
eral counties surrounding Medina  
County, Saturday, November 11.  
The meeting was held at 11 o'clock  
a. m. in the Raye Theatre and was  
followed by a barbecue dinner served  
at the Bob Cat Grill. The inclement  
weather was instrumental in cutting  
down the attendance, but those present  
enjoyed a very profitable meeting.

Mrs. L. E. Heath entertained the  
members of the Ladies' Bridge Club  
Tuesday afternoon with a contract  
party. Autumn leaves and green foli-  
age decorated the rooms. Mrs. J. M.  
Finger won high score and Mrs. L.  
J. Brucks the second high, and Mrs.  
A. H. Schweers received the guest  
prize. The hostess served refresh-  
ments of molded lime salad, saltines,  
cake and coffee to the following:  
Mesdames J. M. Finger, L. J. Brucks,  
A. H. Schweers, B. R. Eichenroht,  
Ed. Koch, O. B. Taylor, Ed. Cameron  
and Fletcher Davis.

Mr. H. V. Haass, Secretary-Treas-  
urer of the Medina County Aid Soci-  
ety, and Fletcher Davis, accompanied  
by H. V. Haass, Jr., of Castroville,  
motored to Austin Monday on busi-  
ness with the State Insurance Com-  
mission. They found the Commission  
office a busy place, but received a  
courteous hearing. The Commission  
is busy getting the numerous insur-  
ance agencies of the state adjusted  
to the new regulations provided by  
the revised insurance laws passed by  
the last legislature. Enroute to Aus-  
tin the party stopped in San Marcos  
for brief visits with the Mr. Haasses'  
sons and grandsons, Ralph and How-  
ard Haass, who are attending South-  
west Texas Teachers College there.

Three tables of contract players,  
including members of the Thursday  
Bridge Club and additional guests,  
were entertained Thursday after-  
noon of last week with Mrs. O. H.  
Miller as hostess, assisted by her  
daughter, Mrs. Jack Droitcourt, Jr.  
Roses and bougainvillea added a de-  
corative motif to the home. Club  
trophies went to Mrs. O. B. Taylor  
for high score and to Mrs. J. M. Finger  
for second high. Guest awards  
were made to Mrs. August Finger  
for first and to Mrs. Henry Merri-  
man for second. A delicious lunch  
of molded fruit salad, sandwiches,  
olives and potato chips, nut cake and  
coffee was served. The personnel in-  
cluded Mesdames O. B. Taylor, J. Brucks,  
M. Finger, L. E. Heath, L. J. Brucks,  
Volney Boon, H. J. Meyer, R. J.  
Noonan, R. C. Rath, Roy Pfeil, Henry  
Merriman, August Finger, Fritz  
Leinweber Jr., Jack Droitcourt Jr.,  
and O. H. Miller.

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FRIDAY - SATURDAY

November 17th-18th.

William BOYD  
George HAYES  
Russell HAYDEN  
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**"Dick Tracy's G-Men"**

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SUNDAY - MONDAY

November 19th-20th

BOB BURNS  
in—

**"Our Leading Citizen"**

America's favorite homespun philoso-  
pher in a human, wholesome story of  
the American Way.

And a Popeye Cartoon  
"SHACKS"

TUESDAY - WEDNES-  
DAY - THURSDAY

November 21st-22nd-23rd

SPENCER TRACY

NANCY KELLY

RICHARD GREENE

in—

**"Stanley and Livingstone"**

He lives and learns the secret of the  
African Veldt.

Also Short Subject  
"TWO-HEADED GIANT"

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SHOW NOW STARTS AT

7:30 P. M.

THE RAYE

COURTHOUSE NEWS

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Nov. 11, John Charles Little and  
Amy Walk.

Nov. 15, Curtis Coffee and Anna  
Mae Sanchez.

Nov. 15, H. H. Carrillo and Mrs.  
Madeline Nunamaker Mosely.

NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS

Nov. 8, Rath Motor Co., Hondo.  
Oldsmobile sedan.

Nov. 13, Medina Valley Motor Co.,  
Devine, Oldsmobile.

Nov. 15, A. T. Sims, Devine, Ford  
coupe.

Nov. 9, Mrs. J. W. Ulbrich, Hondo,  
Chevrolet pick-up.

Nov. 14, Paul Ermler, Devine,  
Ford pick-up.

WILDCAT STAKED FOR HONDO  
AREA

Another prospect for Medina  
County is under way south of Hon-  
do. It is T. J. Tapp's N. 1 Tom Ben-  
dele, located in the southeastern cor-  
ner of Survey 117 with the Navarro  
and its objective. If this formation,  
however, fails to produce, the well  
may go deeper. Mid-Kansas drilled  
on this same tract to the west to a  
round 975 feet some years ago.

Charles Wagener No. A-47 Medina  
Farms is new location in the Chicon  
Lake field of the county, 250 feet  
from the north line and 800 feet  
from the west line of the Hewitt sur-  
vey.—Wednesday's S. A. Express.

ACCIDENT VICTIM DIES

Mr. Harry Elms of Leakey passed  
away at 10 o'clock Friday morning,  
November 10, at the Medina Hos-  
pital. He died of injuries sustained  
in an auto accident one week be-  
fore, Friday, Nov. 3, when the car  
in which he and four other men were  
riding failed to make a curve on the  
highway a few miles west of Hondo.

The unfortunate man sustained a  
fracture of both legs and several  
broken vertebrae, which caused pa-  
ralysis and finally his death. The  
body was taken to Leakey where in-  
terment was made Saturday.

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Mrs. W. J. Brucks was a pleasant caller at this office Friday.

All kinds of fountain drinks at ROTH'S CONFECTIONERY.

Come to the Hondo Land Co. when you wish to buy or sell real estate.

Mr. John G. Bohlen, the Dunlay mail carrier, was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

THE H. E. GIRLS WILL HAVE A "HOT DOG AND COFFEE" SALE ALL DAY SATURDAY, NOV. 18, IN FRONT OF CASE'S STORE.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey milk cows, Springer cows, Springer heifers. Jersey male for service. C. F. HAASS, Hondo.

FOR SALE—Seed Oats free of Johnson grass; 45c per bu. sacked at my farm. E. W. TSCHIRHART, Rio Medina, Texas.

R. W. Bippert, the taxidermist, was here Monday from LaCoste. Mr. Bippert offers his services to hunters wishing to preserve their trophies.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE got squeezed out of this week's paper—but we don't mind—just so we don't meet a similar fate on that special train to Del Rio today!

Please remember, we can go anywhere when our services are desired—day or night. Just ring Phone 75, and we will attend to everything.—JNO. A. HORGER, Funeral Director

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Friends of Jimmy Smith will be glad to learn that he was able to be moved from the Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio to the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, here Thursday.

Please remember, I can go anywhere when my truck service is desired—day or night. Just ring 141-J and I will attend to everything.—AMOS HARLLEE, Special Commodity Carrier, Hondo.

Mr. Fritz Hartung has repainted and cleaned the frame building next to the O. S. T. Service Station and today opens the Rose Castle Barbecue Shop there. Hot barbecue, coffee and pie to take home will be sold.

A slow, soaking rain fell in this section Friday night and Saturday, amounting to over two inches. The precipitation, we understand, was general over the County and is of great benefit to fall-planted oats and pastures.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haby left this morning for New Braunfels where they will sojourn for a while. Both Mr. and Mrs. Haby are suffering from impaired health and are seeking relief in change of location and scene.

Among the out-of-town guests at the tea for Miss Roseina Taylor Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Joe Applewhite and Mrs. Ruby Comeaux of San Antonio, Miss Fannie Beck, Miss Mary Hoog of Castroville, Miss Zonie Taylor of Fort Worth and perhaps others whose names we failed to get.

A hunter from the Utopia section tried to unofficially open the hunting season November 14th by killing an 11-point buck, and was discovered in the act by Game Warden W. B. Strickland. The man was brought before Justice of the Peace H. V. Haass Wednesday where he pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$23.00. His kill was present to the Protestant Orphan's Home in San Antonio.

Hunting season was officially opened Tuesday morning, November 16th, and as usual there was a widespread attempt by local hunters to be the first to bring in a deer. Honors this year must be divided among Anthony Zerr, Walter Britsch and P. C. Jagge, all three reporting getting a buck early on opening day and before eight o'clock in the morning. Anthony Zerr, son of Robert Zerr, can boast of a 12-point buck; Walter Britsch's specimen weighed 137 pounds dressed, and Mr. Jagge's was an 8-point buck.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Schweers, local distributor for Pearl beer, attended the 6th annual distributors' convention of the San Antonio Brewing Association in San Antonio last week. The convention was an all-day business session for the distributors at the Brewery, the ladies were luncheoned at the St. Anthony Hotel and were given a theatre party during the afternoon. The evening was devoted to a banquet and dancing with over 500 in attendance at the St. Anthony. Mr. and Mrs. Schweers report a very enjoyable time.

Pall-bearers were Roland Mumme, Lewis Boehle, Robert B. Breiten, Edgar Balzen, Walter Saathoff and Roy Nietenhoefer.

"I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also."

—C. W.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. JOHN G. BOHLEN.

"We Shall Sleep, But Not Forever".

We shall sleep, but not forever, There will be a glorious dawn! We shall meet to part, no never, On the resurrection morn! From the deepest caves of ocean, From the desert and the plain, From the valley and the mountain Countless throngs shall rise again.

When we see a precious blossom, That we tended with such care, Sadly taken from our bosom, How our aching hearts despair! Round the grave we linger, Till the setting sun is low, Feeling all our hopes have perished, With the flower we cherished so.

We shall sleep, but not forever, In the lone and silent grave; Blessed be the Lord that taketh, Blessed be the Lord that gave, In the bright eternal city, Death can never, never, come! In His own good time He'll call us, From our rest, to home, sweet home.

—HER NIECE, E. S.

WEEK-END WANDERINGS

From The Owl.

San Antonio visitors over the week-end were Jonelle Gaines, C. C. Dawson, Novelle Lambert, Kenneth Danie, Frankie Wools, Betty Jean Merriman and Mary Adell Bader, and Mary Louise Haegelin.

Those in D'Hanis over the week-end were Frances Bendele, Ina Joyce Brucks, Nora Ann Bendele, Jean Warden, Stanley Hollmig, H. Finger, Joe Embrey, Eela Ray, "Blackie" Williams, Rose Marie Finger and Adell Braden.

Leslie Earl Holloway, Frankie Wools, Bonita Speece, and Gladys Schwartz went to Uvalde Friday night.

Richard and George Hitzfeldt were in Eagle Pass Sunday.

Dolly Taylor went to Castroville Sunday.

Mary Lee Oefinger, Leon Mangold, Johnny Schuehle, and Virginia Moehring went to Rio Medina Sunday.

Ex-students who were home over the week-end were Johnny Crouch, Jerome Finger, Ralph Noonan, and Betty Jean Merriman.

Eloise Kollman, Novelle Lambert, Laura Lee Leinweber, Ruth McWilliams and Elmer Joe Leinweber went to San Antonio Monday.

Lois Sumner visited in Bandera Sunday.

Miss Lillian Hoffman of San Diego, Texas, is visiting Mary Louise Haegelin.

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Miss Roseina Taylor, who is the bride-elect of Mr. Jesse Applewhite of Castroville, was honoree of a beautifully appointed tea and shower from three to six o'clock Wednesday afternoon, November 15, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Gaines. Hostesses were Mesdames R. W. Gaines, E. G. Pope, W. L. Taylor, E. E. Kollman, Tony Taylor of Pettus, C. J. Taylor, G. C. Windrow and Bill Brown of San Antonio, Jack Fusselman Jr., and Miss Ethelyn Ney of San Antonio.

Receiving the guests in the reception hall were Mrs. Gaines; the honoree, her mother, Mrs. R. J. Taylor, and her fiancé's mother, Mrs. Scott Applewhite of Castroville. Miss Taylor wore a lovely model of sapphire blue slipper satin made with a bustle effect and wide shoulder straps of deep wine velvet. Her corsage was of burgundy chrysanthemums and her jewelry a gold bracelet and necklace set with blue stones. Mrs. Gaines' gown was American Beauty chiffon, with which she wore black-velvet tied strand of pearls and a corsage of white chrysanthemums. Both Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Applewhite were in figured crepe dresses and orchid chrysanthemum corsages.

The home was adorned with bouquets of seasonal flowers. Yellow chrysanthemums were used in the reception hall, a crystal bowl of the blooms and a crystal lamp gracing the table where the guests autographed the bride's book. Mrs. C. J. Taylor and Miss Ethelyn Ney presided over the book. Mrs. Taylor wore a two-piece ensemble, the skirt of sapphire blue satin and the jacket of powder blue lace, and her only ornament a gold cross set in pearls. Black moire taffeta fashioned Miss Ney's frock and she wore a pendant gold cross. Both wore corsages of yellow chrysanthemums.

Lavender and wine colored chrysanthemums decorated the gift room, while yellow tapers in crystal holders and crystal bowls of yellow "mums" adorned the music room. Bridal white was featured in the floral decoration of the dining room, white pom-pom chrysanthemums in a crystal vase gracing the buffet board, and the tea table, laid with a lace cloth, centered with white California gladioluses clustered in a crystal bowl. Flame-tipped ivory tapers in crystal holders completed the centerpiece. The hostesses alternated in serving the tea dainties, cake squares iced in white, hot tea and green and pink mints.

Mrs. Pope's dress of black lace was set off by a necklace of gold and red and a corsage of white flowers. Mrs. Kollman wore ice blue taffeta with a sash of wine velvet and flowers in the same rich color. Green taffeta and white flowers were worn by blonde Mrs. Tony Taylor. Mrs. W. L. Taylor was in white crepe with a pink velvet sash and pale lavender-tinted chrysanthemums forming the corsage. Mrs. Windrow's gown was of black moire taffeta, worn with heavy gold and black cameo bracelet and necklace and a corsage of white chrysanthemums. Deep rose moire taffeta and white flowers were becoming to petite Mrs. Fusselman.

A musical background for the tea was presented in groups of vocal selections, violin and piano numbers, by Mrs. G. C. Windrow, Miss Volina Powers, and Miss Ethelyn Ney, of San Antonio; Miss Eloise Kollman, Miss Ruth Rucker, Mrs. R. W. Gaines, Miss Margaret Ann Knopp, and a sextette composed of Misses Mary Ann Noonan, Ruth Rucker, Novelle Lambert, Norma Jane Bless, Stella Grell and Ruth McWilliams.

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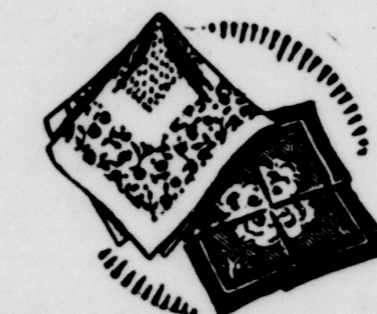
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## LA COSTE LEDGERTTES.

### The LaCoste Ledger.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Mann and daughter of Castroville visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rihn and daughter here Sunday.

Joe Gross from D'Hanis visited in LaCoste Saturday afternoon.

Chas. Boehme of Castroville was here on business Saturday morning.

Little Karen Marie Jungman, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman N. Jungman, entertained some of her little friends Friday afternoon, November 3, the occasion being her first birthday.

O. J. Wurzbach from Cliff was a LaCoste visitor Tuesday.

J. E. Whiteside of Pearson was in LaCoste on business Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Falkenberg of Castroville were short visitors in LaCoste Monday morning.

Chas. Loessberg of Macdona was a business visitor in LaCoste Monday morning.

Wm. Keller and Mrs. Mary Keller were visitors at Black Creek Sunday.

Henry Keller from the Sauz was a LaCoste visitor Wednesday.

Joe and John Gross from D'Hanis visited relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. A. N. Mangold of Cliff visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman here Wednesday.

Alfred Trip from Macdona was a business visitor in LaCoste Wednesday.

Miss Pauline Freeman of San Antonio was the guest of Miss Doris Koehler over the week-end.

Mrs. Louis Schott and Mrs. Hugo Pourquin from Castroville were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mrs. Steward, Miss Margaret Gross and H. C. Kuykendall of San Antonio spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross and son here.

Mrs. Emil C. Bippert of Castroville was a business visitor in LaCoste Friday morning.

Louis Bohl and son, Clark, of Castroville were business visitors in LaCoste Saturday morning.

John H. Wiemers of Hondo was a business visitor in LaCoste Thursday morning.

Walter Jungman of San Antonio spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here.

Winfred Whitehead of Castroville was a business visitor here Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and daughters were visitors in Bandera Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart and son from Noonan were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

H. F. Koehler from Del Rio visited with relatives here over the week-end.

Wilfred Wernette and L. C. Howard of Castroville were visitors in LaCoste Wednesday.

E. B. Haegelin from Rio Medina was a LaCoste visitor Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Zinsmeyer and daughters and Alfred Keller visited in LaPryor Sunday.

Nic Tondre from Atascosa was a business visitor in LaCoste Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Kempf and son, Gilbert, visited in LaCoste Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mangold of Castroville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keller and children here Sunday afternoon.

Otto Etter from Eagle Pass is visiting with his brother, F. W. Etter, and family here for some time.

Tessie Rihn of LaCoste enjoyed a day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Kempf and children at Castroville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lundy of San Antonio visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rihn here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biediger and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Christilles and son in San Antonio Sunday evening.

Mrs. Hedwig McDonald and daughter, Martha, were to see Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Fischer at Von Ormy Wednesday.

Mrs. George Abr and Mrs. Paul Mechler from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Christilles and son, Paul, and James Christilles visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Belzung at Cliff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles and Misses Marie, Catherine and Beatrice Christilles visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gutzeit in San Antonio Sunday.

John Schuehle from Sturm Hill and Emil Haby from Rio Medina were visitors in LaCoste late Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. R. A. Martin and Miss Helen Hawes of Lytle were business visitors in LaCoste Thursday afternoon.

Miss Rachel Mangold of the Santa Rosa School of Nursing in San Antonio was visiting with homefolks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Barley and son from Hebronville were visiting with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross, Miss Helen Franger and Mrs. Otto Jungman were Castroville visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Mesdames Henry Kauffman and Otto Jungman and Miss Florentina Bohl attended the Medina County H. D. Club meeting held at Hondo Friday. They also paid a short visit to the Anvil Herald office.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keller and daughter from Dunlay, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mechler and son from the Sauz, Mrs. Helena Keller and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Biediger and son, Thomas, from LaCoste, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zeinert of Macdona visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koehler and children and Mrs. Laura Koehler at Macdona Sunday evening.

## MOTH MOON

The spider tree waits  
Till the white moth moon is caught  
In a web of boughs.

—DOROTHY MARIE DAVIS.

## DEVINE NEWSLETS.

### The Devine News. JOE VANCE BUYS M. A. KELLER HOME

P. S. Keller informs us that M. A. Keller and wife have sold their home in Devine, corner new city park, to Joe Vance, and have moved to San Antonio to be nearer specialists who are treating Mr. Keller for his health. It is a nice home. We did not learn the price.

### HIGHWAY NO. 81 WIDENED NORTH OF UNDERPASS

The local maintenance crew, with the assistance of some heavy machinery, are widening the gravel part of No. 81, north of the underpass for about a mile. Gravel is being taken from the old highway bed, south of the section house, and ten foot added to the present base through the sandy hill, which cars leaving the highway sometimes found hard pulling, to say the least.

## BIRY

Mr. Willie Keller and mother, Mrs. Mary Keller, from LaCoste spent Sunday with Hudy Love and sister.

Mr. Charley Wendland returned for a few days at home. He has been working in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Love left for Bruni where Mr. Love has work. Mrs. Love will teach as principal of the Mills Bennett school.

Miss Pauline Ross from San Antonio will fill Mrs. Love's place here in Biry school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader and Miss Ella and Mrs. Chas. Miller and daughter spent last Wednesday at Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt and Judy Ann and Mrs. Jim Love and grandchildren from San Antonio spent Sunday at the Hudy Love home.

Charley Miller from Brackettville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haass spent one day the past week at Devine.

Mrs. Louisa Bilhartz and son, Ralph, spent one day the past week in Hondo.

Frank Bilhartz and son from San Antonio spent the week-end with Ed Bader and family.

Mr. Ed Ehlinger Sr. of Devine spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haass.

## YANCEY

A match football game between Castroville and Yancey last Friday resulted in favor of Castroville.

A barbecue supper at the Tabernacle last Saturday evening for the benefit of paying last installment on the lights for our church parsonage and tabernacle was held. A large crowd was present and a neat sum was realized.

A large number of Yanceyites went to Quihi for the R. E. A. barbecue last Saturday, also to hear the speeches and demonstration of electric wares.

Miss Grace Saathoff was ill last week and Sunday she and her mother, Mrs. Mary Saathoff, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Saathoff to their home in McQueeney.

A miscellaneous shower was given for Mrs. Edwin Bohmfalk Tuesday of last week, at the home of Mrs. Henry Faseler. Many useful and pretty gifts were received.

### FORMULA FOR FIGURING BENEFITS

#### No. 3

According to the new formula, referred to in the preceding article of this series, monthly benefits for old-age insurance are figured as follows: On the first \$50 of a man's average monthly wage, he gets 40 per cent.

On the next \$200 of his average wage, he gets 10 per cent.

This basic amount is increased by one percent for each year in which the wage earner made at least \$200 in covered employment.

Thus, while the new plan maintains a close relationship between rate of earnings and rate of benefits, it also works out to the advantage of those who will have been in the system a long time before their benefits are due.

Another change which increases protection for both older and younger workers is the provisions of supplementary benefits for aged wives and dependent children and of monthly benefits for survivors. These additions represent a tremendously significant step in the direction of greater social security. The family is the basic unit in our society, and adequate security for the wage earner must include the security of those dependent upon him. This is recognized in the amendments. They provide additional monthly benefits for an annuitant's wife if or when she is 65, and for his minor children. When an insured worker dies, survivors' benefits are provided for his widow, if she is 65 or has minor children in her care, and for such children themselves; or for the worker's parents, if they are aged and dependent, and if there is no widow or child.

## KEEP SMILING

It's hard to smile,  
Dear friend of mine,  
When everything's against us,  
But there's a silver lining  
To every cloud,  
And the night  
Is sent to rest us;  
There's a reason for our trials here:  
Perhaps God's will to test us.

—OLIVE SCOTT STAINSBY.

Friends, I owe more tears to this  
dead man than you shall see me pay.  
—Shakespeare.

## BANDERA NEWS

### The Bandera New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Britsch and Edwin Spott went to Fredericksburg Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Spott at the Sunny Side Cavern for awhile. They also attended the Diamond Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spott at Comfort Thursday night at the Fairyland hall and they had quite a crowd. People came from far and near and everybody had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Britsch and grandson, Elroy, went to Kerrville Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Wesley Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geuea, Miss Lela Leinweber and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holcomb of Hondo visited Frontier Times Museum Sunday.

## TARPLEY

Jesse Burger made a business trip to Hondo Tuesday.

Harley Eckhart was a Hondo visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scheile of Medina visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Pressler Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mangold were visiting in Castroville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Eckhart and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Marquis and children, Bertram and Arlah Eckhart, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mangold and daughter, Gladys, attended the show in Hondo Wednesday evening.

The following people from Tarpley attended the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spott in Comfort Thursday: Mr. and Mrs. E. Pressler and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Eckhart and children, Walter and Augusta Scheile, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spott and daughter and Otto Spott and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rieber and children were shopping in Hondo Wednesday.

Mrs. Neuman and Ruthie Bell Tomerlin of Hondo spent Tuesday in the C. R. Chick home.

Mr. Hohenberger and son, Walter, made a business trip to Hondo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Anderson and children made a business trip to Hondo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cody Tomerlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Leinweber, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geuea and Miss Lela Leinweber of Hondo visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Saathoff and sons of San Antonio visited Mrs. M. L. Saathoff Sunday.

Mrs. R. N. Padgett is spending the week in San Antonio with her daughters, Mrs. A. Saathoff and Mrs. Felix Newcomer.

Guests of Mrs. J. W. Glass Sunday afternoon were Mrs. New Nance of Medina, Mrs. Weir of Bandera, Mrs. Edgar Rieber of Upper Hondo, Mrs. Pae and Mrs. Billings of Tarpley.

Mrs. Jesse Burger went to Quihi Sunday.

Whetstones are not themselves able to cut, but make iron sharp and capable of cutting. —Isocrates.

## SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET

Monday, November 13, 1939.

HOGS: Estimated salable and total receipts 500. Market active on the very light supplies and fully steady with late last week. Most 170 to 300 lbs. butchers cashed at \$6.15 to \$6.25, top \$6.25. Good to choice 140 to 170 lbs. \$5.50 to \$6.25. Good packing sows \$5.25 and \$5.50. Feeder pigs sold around 4.50 down.

CATTLE: Estimated salable and total receipts 500; CALVES, 1,500. The market was very active on the lightest Monday run since early last February. Most all classes 25c higher than late last week, many sales of medium and lower grade offerings 50c above last week's low time.

Good 1,113 lb. grass steers \$7.25, 775 lb. fed yearlings \$9.00, light weight 516 lbs. \$8.25, and 524 lbs. at \$8.00. Most common yearlings sold around \$6.00 and down. Canner and cutter cows sold mostly at \$3.00 to \$3.75, including a 55 head string of 619 lbs. at \$3.00, common and medium butcher cows \$4.00 to \$4.50, good cows to \$5.25, few good 1,091 lbs. to \$5.50. Medium and lower grade bulls mostly \$4.50 to \$5.50, good weighty kind scarce.

Killing calves very scarce, few good and choice kinds \$7.50 to \$8.00, same on the yearling order above. Most common and medium calves \$5.50 to \$7.50, culls down to \$4.00. Stocker calves mostly \$7.50 to \$8.50, few choice 356 lb. steer calves to \$8.65, and some common kind down to \$6.00 and below. Stocker cows mostly \$3.50 to \$5.25, including 592 lbs. at \$3.50, and 622 lbs. at \$5.25, few common 780 lb. feeder steers \$5.00 to \$5.50.

SHEEP: Estimated salable and total receipts 300. Market about steady. A string of 75 lb. aged stocker ewes \$2.25 per head. Stocker yearlings and common lambs \$4.00 to \$4.50. Fat lambs and sheep scarce.

## WINTER GRASS

A cool East wind, rippling cross the lush, green winter grass,  
With vast exuberance dip and sway in rhythm unsurpassed.

Far as mortal eye can see, the waves flow smooth and deep;  
And silver glistens where the Sunbeams dance and leap.

Silver white-caps tossed on the crest of a living sea  
Leap and glide over the racing undulating lea.

Sweet wind in our face and rhythm at our feet;  
Where lush winter grass and cool East wind meet!

—LELA WILHITE.

## BECKONER.

Ah, it was friendship that I called And forthwith friendship came—  
But what I really coveted,  
Knew quite another name.

Unwillingly I hold it now,  
The end that knew no start;  
Ah, you who listened to my voice—  
Why fail to heed my heart?  
—ETHEL BARNETT de VITO.

## Easy Winner

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forward.

"Why don't you step to the front with the rest?" inquired the manufacturer of the remaining one.

"Too much trouble," came the reply.

A typical noonday meal at a camp included roast pork and applesauce, vegetables, salad, and Then they want you to go out and plant trees.—Detroit News.



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**WASHINGTON  
SNAPSHOTS**  
by  
James Preston

The opinions here expressed are  
Preston's own and not neces-  
sarily those of this paper.—M. E.

For hard and realistic descriptions  
of what something really means, it's  
usually a good idea to go to the dic-  
tionary or encyclopedia. The defini-  
tions contained therein may not be  
poetic, but they give a real pic-  
ture of the hard facts.  
Here's the definition of war con-  
tained in the encyclopedia:  
"The act of war consists in the de-  
struction of men's bodies and the  
work of their hands."  
More and more, as reports from  
over the world come pouring into  
Washington, experts are being made  
realize the destructive effect of  
war, either directly or indirectly, to  
the "work of men's hands"—to the  
industry and enterprise that in time  
of peace are devoted to making the  
material life of people happier and  
more comfortable.

—WSS—  
The first observation naturally  
made by economists on this subject  
is that war expenditures generally  
are not what is called "productive."  
To put it another way, money  
goes into an explosive shell does  
not produce anything. Instead, it  
destroys not only life but other  
things which also cost money.  
A tractor, for example, is produc-  
ive if it is used to plow and plant a  
crop. The food it produces goes to  
the general benefit. But if the trac-  
tor is covered with armor plate and  
active rather than a constructive  
one into a tank, it becomes a de-  
struction.

Thus the present war like all  
others is proving a serious drain up-  
on every nation. It would appear  
that most Americans now realize  
that without, perhaps, having put it  
in those words. Certainly indus-  
try, as its attitude is reflected  
through the recent anti-war declara-  
tion of the National Association of  
Manufacturers, realizes it. American  
manufacturers would a lot rather  
sell plows than swords, for plows  
produce goods which a farmer can  
sell for money with which to buy  
more plows.

—WSS—  
Confidential reports which have  
reached Washington tell a tragic  
story about the cost of war to tiny,  
neutral Switzerland.  
Perched high in the Alps and fac-  
ing belligerents on two sides, the  
Swiss are well aware that their fer-  
tile plateau and valley lands offer  
one of the best strategic military  
sites around the Maginot Line and  
the Siegfried West Wall. To avoid  
offending any nation, and thus of-  
fering an excuse for invasion, they  
have made neutrality almost a re-  
ligion.

They have carried this so far that  
when their President recently visited  
the frontier on an inspection tour he  
carried cigarettes to both the French  
and German soldiers posted on the  
border.  
But the neutrality is an armed  
neutrality. The Swiss are determined  
to defend their land against any in-  
vasion. Consequently, their crafts-  
men who are famed throughout the  
world for their ability to make deli-  
cate mechanical devices have been  
forced to take up arms. That is  
the tragic part of the story.

Reports seeping into Washington  
tell that it is costing Switzerland  
more than a million dollars a day  
to keep the workmen mobilized. That  
is a tremendous sum when one re-  
members that the Swiss govern-  
ment's expenditures for all purposes  
in 1938 were only \$125,872,000.  
Maintaining her present army alone  
cost nearly three times that  
much.  
Even more important is that  
Switzerland's foreign trade is disap-  
pearing. In the one month of Sep-  
tember, the Swiss lost 54 per cent  
of their trade. So long as her men  
are mobilized, Switzerland will have  
a terrifically increased cost to meet  
a reduced income to meet it.

—WSS—  
Dies Committee sidelight: Publica-  
tion of the names of government em-  
ployees who belonged to the Ameri-  
can League for Peace and Democracy  
officially described as a "com-  
munist front organization", begins to  
show results. Within 24 hours  
after Baldwin, President of another  
union group, the American Civil  
 Liberties Union, resigned from the  
group.  
Representative Dies won wide-  
spread commendation with his asser-  
tion that "to my way of thinking if  
government employees belong to or-  
ganizations dominated by foreign  
powers they ought to be exposed and  
American public ought to know  
their names."

—WSS—  
Some advisers to the Monopoly

Committee are talking about getting  
another quarter of a million dollars  
from Congress to continue their in-  
vestigation next year. Although the  
average reader might not know it,  
the Committee has been holding  
hearings almost daily for several  
weeks. Its "discoveries" have been  
so far from startling that newspaper-  
men who have to sit through the ses-  
sions have begun to refer to it in  
conversation as the "monotony com-  
mittee".

Another yardstick experiment has  
gone the way of the dodo. A coopera-  
tive clothing factory at Hightown,  
N. J., financed by the Farm Security  
Administration, is being sold at auc-  
tion to meet part of a \$200,000  
federal loan.

—WSS—

## "NOBODY'S BUSINESS"

By  
Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are  
the author's own and not necessarily  
those of this paper.—M. E.

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 10, 1939.—  
Pensions for the aged continued to  
be the major political issue in Texas  
this week-end, as Austin seethed with  
discussion of the prospects of a  
special session, and saw a new style  
in legislative procedure being tried  
out. Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, having  
failed to get agreement from a ma-  
jority of legislators on his sales tax  
proposal, checked the problem back  
to the solons, by indicating he will  
not call a session unless the legisla-  
tors agree in advance to pass a spe-  
cific tax bill. Leaders of the anti-  
sales tax group, joined by several  
House members who supported  
SJR 12, the constitutional sales tax  
program of the special interests and  
Gov. O'Daniel, were seeking pledges  
by mail to an omnibus bill, similar  
to the one passed by the House, and  
killed in Senate committee, at the  
regular session. Observers here dis-  
counted the probability of getting  
the solons to tie their hands in ad-  
vance by a pledge to vote for any  
bill, and the special interest lobbyists  
continued a high-pressure drive  
throughout the State to mobilize  
sentiment behind a movement to op-  
pose any special session.

## November Pay-Off

Meanwhile, Texas pensioners to  
the total of 121,646, were assured  
November checks averaging \$8.24  
each, with the approval by the Fed-  
eral Social Security board of the  
grant for the month from Federal  
funds. The new setup of the State  
Welfare Board has not yet been ap-  
proved by the Social Security  
Board, but the November grant was  
okayed regardless.

An indication of growing opposi-  
tion to the economic lunacy of wild-  
eyed pension schemes elsewhere in  
the United States was seen in the de-  
feat by substantial majorities, of the  
\$50-a-month-for-all-over-60 plan in  
Ohio, and the "ham-and-egg" or \$30-  
every-Thursday brainstorm in Cal-  
ifornia. Voters apparently are becom-  
ing gradually aware that unless reason  
is applied to the social security  
program, it will bankrupt those who  
have to pay the taxes to support  
Utopia.

## State Eyes Dallas

Throughout Texas, spectators  
were watching with interest a polit-  
ical situation in Dallas, where James  
Aston, 28-year-old city manager,  
former A. & M. football star, is  
handling an issue that is full of polit-  
ical dynamite. A group of Dallas  
firemen brought suit against the city  
to collect alleged back pay for  
"overtime" which accrued after the  
state law fixing maximum hours and  
minimum wages for city firemen was  
enacted. Aston, backed by the City  
Council, retaliated by slashing the  
city's contribution to the Firemen's  
pension fund enough to meet the  
claim of \$165,000, if the firemen  
win. He also delivered an ultimatum  
to the firemen that all must resign  
from the Dallas Firemen's Union, an  
A. F. of L. affiliate, by November  
23, or lose their city jobs. Aston is  
the youngest manager of a large city  
in the United States, and his hand-  
ling of the ticklish issue in Dallas is  
regarded as having a large bearing  
upon his future.

That the State doesn't have all the  
economic problems was indicated, al-  
so, when it was announced Dallas  
County's general fund overdraft had  
mounted to the unprecedented level  
of \$849,516, and county politicians  
asked Attorney General Gerald Mann  
to okay a scheme to refund the debt  
by issuing warrants, without a vote  
of the taxpayers. Ex-Attorney Gen-  
eral Bill McCraw previously had held  
such a refunding scheme was illegal.

## Hot Check Law in Doubt

Attorney General Gerald Mann  
ruled the new hot-check law, enacted  
at the regular session is legal until  
some court throws it out. Mann, de-  
claring he never ruled against a crim-  
inal statute, if there was any basis  
of doubt at all, indicated he believed  
the law violates the state and Fed-  
eral constitutions. Sponsors of the  
law are rather unhappy about it, be-  
cause under its terms, the holder of  
a hot check cannot file a charge  
against the maker, collect the debt,  
and then drop the charges, as was  
heretofore the custom. Most hot-  
check holders don't want to send the  
check passer to prison—they just  
want to collect the debt. . . Much ado  
about nothing is the best description  
of the work of the House committee  
headed by Lon Alsop, to revise the  
rules of the lower legislative body.  
New rules will have to be adopted by  
any succeeding legislature. There is  
a normal turnover of 50 per cent in  
House membership, and next time, it  
probably will be higher. New mem-  
bers will probably not approve the  
proposals of the committee to limit  
the committee service and other pow-  
ers "freshmen" will have the votes at  
the next regular session. The com-  
mittee session here was attended by  
Alsop, Bryan Bradbury, Abilene; E.  
H. Thornton, Galveston; DeWitt  
Hale, Farmersville, and Jim Taylor,  
Kerens.

## ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

The Nordheim View.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Czerkus of  
Hondo visited Rev. and Mrs. O. R.  
Schawe Monday and Tuesday.

The Atascosa County Monitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Steinle and  
Glen Steinle attended the homecom-  
ing at St. Mary's University in San  
Antonio Friday and Saturday.  
Leon Steinle of Austin and Glen  
Steinle of San Antonio visited at  
home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tuerpe of  
Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Job of  
San Antonio were guests during the  
past week of Mr. and Mrs. A. N.  
Steinle.

Val Verde County Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Koehler spent  
Sunday visiting with friends in  
Brackettville.  
Miss Hilda Poehler spent Saturday  
and Sunday visiting with relatives  
near Hondo.

The Uvalde Leader News.

UTOPIA

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walters and  
family of Hondo were here Sunday  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Agnes Thorn-  
berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilliam of  
Hondo were here on business at the  
Bownds ranch Monday.

RIOMEDINA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Wurzbach  
were at San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Oscar F. Haby was at Hondo  
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schmidt, Mr.  
and Mrs. Will Naegelin and Miss  
Katie Schmidt, of Castroville were  
the guests of Mrs. Chas. Wurzbach  
and Misses Hilda, Katy and Clara  
Wurzbach Tuesday.

Lt. Clem. K. Wurzbach of Ran-  
dolph Field visited his parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. O. J. Wurzbach, Sunday  
evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. Huegele of  
San Antonio were the guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. O. W. Huegele and family  
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Schuehle of  
San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs.  
Ed. R. Wurzbach Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. C. J. Ahr spent Monday with  
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schmidt.  
Mrs. Chas. T. Wurzbach and  
Misses Hilda, Katy and Clara Wurz-  
bach were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O.  
W. Huegele and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Huegele,  
Misses Thelma and Alta Hpegele,  
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huegele and ba-  
by were Hondo visitors Friday.

Despite a drouth which reduced  
the range, deer are going to be plen-  
tiful and in good shape when the  
hunting season rolls around Novem-  
ber 16, early reports to the Execu-  
tive Secretary of the Texas Game,  
Fish and Oyster Commission indicate.  
Deer are increasing annually in the  
Lone Star State. In fact, their num-  
bers are so large in some sections  
that there would have been a short-  
age of food for them even had there  
been no drouth. This condition has  
existed over a period of several years  
and Game Department biologists, af-  
ter considerable research, have  
reached the conclusion that the de-  
ficiency of food has brought about  
smaller deer. Many persons had ex-  
pressed the belief that inbreeding  
was the cause. Deer are afflicted  
with several diseases and are victims  
of ticks, but investigations being  
carried on by the Game Department  
biologists indicate that malnutrition  
is the cause of most of the deaths to  
Texas deer, although it was believed  
by many that ticks were the direct  
cause of fatalities. All in all, and in  
spite of the drouth, deer appear to  
be in excellent health this fall and  
are spreading into several counties in  
the State which had not raised them  
for many, many years.

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includes Susan Hayward, Joseph Al-  
len, Charles Bickford, Elizabeth Pat-  
terson, Clarence Kolb, and Paul  
Guilfoyle.

"STANLEY AND LIVING-  
STONE"—Tuesday, Wednesday and  
Thursday, adventure drama of a doc-  
tor who devotes his life to succor and  
to educate the African natives and  
the reporter who disavows his profes-  
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ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

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Miss Mary Louise Noonan of San Antonio was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Noonan, and children at Flint Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell of San Antonio and Miss Ada Rose Lieber of Houston were the guests Saturday and Sunday of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lieber, and daughters.

Mesdames J. L. Tondre, Herbert Tondre and Miss Betty Burrell were Alamo City visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and children and Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Marty were in San Antonio Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marty.

Mrs. Frank Hauck of San Antonio returned home after a two weeks' visit with her father, Joe Tschirhart, Sr., and her sister, Mrs. A. H. Tondre.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace and Miss Rose Halbardier of San Antonio were guests of Mrs. Adeline Klieber Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Tschirhart Sr. were visitors in San Antonio Sunday.

Eugene Suehs, a student of San Marcos College, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mrs. Bert Pope of San Antonio visited relatives here Monday.

Clark E. Tondre of San Antonio was a business visitor here Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Tschirhart were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyle and son, Michael, and daughters, Edwina and Margaret, of Bandera.

Wayne Leonard were the names given the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marty of San Antonio, in christening ceremonies at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church in San Antonio Sunday afternoon. Sponsors were Mrs. Leonard Brieden of San Antonio and Harry Hans from here.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Halbardier had as guests Sunday their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schott of San Antonio.

The drouth condition was broken Friday by a slow, soaking rain. Two inches of precipitation were recorded Saturday evening.

## CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 0.748 miles of Hondo Creek Bridge, Relief Bridge and Roadway Approaches, located on U. S. Hwy. 90 between the towns of Dunlay and Hondo on Highway No. U. S. 90, covered by F. A. P. 270 (2) in Medina County, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9:00 A. M., November 21, 1939, and then publicly opened and read.

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Skilled Labor	\$8.00	\$1.00
Intermediate Grade Labor	4.00	.50
Unskilled Labor	3.20	.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Rates for work performed in excess of the maximum hours per week as stipulated in the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938", approved June 25, 1938, (Public No. 718, 75th Congress) shall be subject to the applicable provisions of this Act.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely wish to thank each and everyone who through so many acts of love and sympathy and beautiful floral offerings have brought some comfort to us in the loss of our beloved wife and mother, though words are powerless to soothe our sense of loss and sorrow, still we wish you to know that every act of kindness and word of sympathy was deeply felt and appreciated. We also wish to thank Rev. Weeber for the consoling services and the choir for their assistance.

Yours in sorrow,  
JOHN G. BOHLEN  
And FAMILY.

## POSTED

My pastures are posted and no hunting allowed without permit. 7tpd  
HENRY DECKER.

## POSTED

All land owned and controlled by us are posted according to law. 7tf  
C. A. OEFINGER ET AL.

## 4-H CLUB MEETS

The Castroville 4-H Club met Friday morning at the public school with eleven members present.

During the meeting Miss Nell Foley demonstrated advantageously a seamless milk pail and a chart which defined the seriousness of the disease, rickets.

Miss Foley also displayed a chart and explained the qualities of fats, sugar, proteins, water, minerals, etc., found in milk. Dairying was discussed at length by the agent.

The next meeting will be at the public school, Wednesday, Nov. 29th. —Reporter.

## ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH Sunday, Nov. 19, 1939.

9:00 A. M. Sunday School and Bible Classes.

10:00 A. M. English Mission service.

Next Sunday morning we will celebrate our annual Children's Mission Festival. We must instill the mission spirit into the tender hearts of our children. They must help to spread the Gospel and build God's Kingdom. Let us please remind you that next Sunday, the Lord's Day, holds for you and yours a rest from the daily toil of the week and refreshing of soul as you worship the Lord God in the beauty of holiness. For that purpose you are most cordially invited to be at our divine service.

Come, for all things are now ready.

The Church with a welcome.  
A. H. FALKENBERG,  
Pastor.

## CASTROVILLE COMMUNITY CLUB

The Castroville Community Club met on Wednesday evening, November 8, in the school auditorium. During this business session it was decided to present a play, sponsored by the school, the date to be set at the next meeting. Plans for the dedication of the new school building were also discussed.

A good crowd attended the meeting, and after the business session, music was provided by the school orchestra, with special entertainment, a Dutch song and tap dance by Miss Eleanor Lindstrom, in costume.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Yenna, Etter, Ahr and Hans, after the program, and an informal social period followed.

The next regular meeting will be held on December 7, in the school auditorium.

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It's not normal. It may be NATURE'S WARNING of sluggish kidneys. Make this 4-day test. YOUR 25c BACK if not pleased. Kidneys need occasional flushing as well as bowels. Excess acids and other waste can cause irritation resulting in getting up nights, burning or scanty flow. Ask any druggist for Buckets (25c). Locally at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

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The H. W. Schweers and the two Alfred Saathoff pastures are leased and posted, and all hunting therein is forbidden. 8tpd  
ARTHUR SCHULTE.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Nov. 6, to Louis J. Lutz and Corine M. Rieber.  
Nov. 8, Eugene Wilson Stewart and Trezia Elizabeth Baker.

## POSTED

My pastures are posted against all hunters and hunting. 8tpd.  
F. A. MARTIN.

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# Hondo School News

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## P. T. A. ENJOYS THIRD PROGRAM OF THE YEAR

The Hondo P. T. A. met in the High School auditorium last Monday afternoon, November 13, at 3:45 o'clock. The president, Mrs. Barnitz Carle, called the meeting to order and presided during the afternoon.

Before the customary business session, the Glee Club, directed by Mrs. C. D. Sadler and accompanied by Eloise Kollman, sang two songs, "Venetia" and "Slumber Boat".

Mrs. Carle opened the business meeting with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting by Mrs. Otis Laughinghouse. Mrs. N. L. Taylor, the treasurer, stated that \$189.91 was on hand in the P. T. A. treasury, and that eighty-four members had paid to date.

The report of the executive committee made by Mrs. Laughinghouse, to the effect that a lump sum be paid on the piano, reducing the unpaid amount to \$107, was accepted. Payments are \$14.35 each month.

Mrs. Jim Amberson, general chairman of the recently held carnival, thanked all those who worked on the carnival, reported that a net profit of \$146.76 was made.

Mrs. Carle thanked Mrs. Amberson, Mr. McDowell, the teachers, room-mothers, business men, and all those who worked on the carnival or contributed to it in any way. She also announced that the next meeting would be Parent's Night on December 11 at 7 P. M. and urged a large attendance from fathers as well as mothers.

Mr. J. G. Barry announced that a special train would leave Friday afternoon at 3:30 for the Del Rio football game, and would return for Hondo about thirty minutes after the game. Tickets for this round trip are \$1.85 each, and all who plan to go are urged to buy their tickets now.

Mrs. Sam Highsmith announced that the sum of fifty cents will enroll any of the grammar grades in the Junior Red Cross. These donations should be given to Miss Willie D. Fly. In the high school, the cost of enrolling is one dollar per one hundred students. All students are urged to bring their donations at once.

Room count revealed that the fourth and eighth grades tied for the dollar award for having the most mothers and teachers present.

Miss Lucille Johnson took charge of the program, the subject of which was "Getting Along With Others". Miss Johnson, in her discussion of this subject, stated, in part, "Superior ability to get along with others is more important in attaining a successful life than superior intelligence. A normal individual is defined as one who has the ability to adapt to life, who can give and take and can make a satisfactory balance with his surroundings."

"Children want to be popular; There is no such thing as a born misfit; getting along with others must be learned."

"Suggestions for helping us to get along with others may be had in the following: First of all, like many different kinds of people. Do not judge everyone by the same standard; there is no one standard. Personal appearance should not play too large a part in our reactions to people nor should we try to classify people, but let time and experience help us to know the person. We should not blame others for our faults. Cultivate a pleasant exterior; be a good listener. Cooperation can never be over-rated. We should never criticize others."

cize others."

At the close of this talk by Miss Johnson, a piano solo, "Valse Chromatique", was given by Eloise Kollman.

A talk on the subject under discussion was given by Dorothy Grell. Dorothy spoke of studying this subject in her first year homemaking course and how the importance of friendliness, cooperation, a pleasant attitude toward life and the observance of rules of everyday conduct are important in our learning to get along with others.

The program was concluded with a song, "Good Night, Sweetheart", by the girls' sextette, which is composed of Mary Ann Noonan, Stella Grell, Frances Ruth Rucker, Novelle Lambert, Ruth McWilliams and Norma Jane Bless. These girls were accompanied by Eloise Kollman. The sextette is under the direction of Mrs. C. D. Sadler.

## Third Year Homemakers Sponsor Silver Tea

The Third Year Homemaking girls gave a silver tea Thursday afternoon, November 9, from 4 to 6:30 o'clock in the Homemaking living-dining room.

A massive centerpiece of white daisy chrysanthemums with yellow centers decorated the tea table, which was laid with a lace cloth and silver service for coffee and tea at either end. Yellow marigolds were placed on the bookcase and mantle. A wandering Jew plant was on the piano and a decorative grass in a floor basket banked a corner of the room.

The girls sextette dressed in floor-length blue gowns, sang "The Weaver" and "The Bells of St. Mary's" at various times. Popular and semi-classical piano selections were played by Ruth McWilliams and Eloise Kollman.

The following menu was served formal tea style to over 75 guests during the afternoon and evening.

Mock Chicken Sandwich Rolls  
Stuffed Celery  
Orange Marmalade on Raisin Bread  
Sticks  
Coconut Macaroons  
Green Fondant Mints  
Coffee Tea  
Cream Sugar Lemon

Over \$11 was received as a result of the tea. The proceeds will be used to send a Third Year Homemaking delegate to the State Homemaking Rally in Dallas next April.

The girls wish to thank all who contributed.

## AGRICULTURE CLASSES HEAR TALK ON POULTRY

On Tuesday of last week, Mr. George McCarthy of A. & M. College, gave a very interesting talk on poultry at Watson's Poultry Store. The agriculture classes attended this talk.

Mr. McCarthy's subject was very interesting as it will soon be time to market turkeys.

# D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

## Miss Josie Rothe

To whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1939

Floyd Saathoff Houston spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Saathoff.

Miss Laurinda Rothe spent Sunday at Jourdanton.

Mrs. Regina Deckert had as guests Sunday her daughters, Mrs. Oscar Shane and Mrs. Robert Shane of Sabinal, and Mrs. Robert Reynolds of Jondo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Albrecht and children, and Mrs. John L. Rothe of San Antonio spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Alice Saathoff returned to San Antonio Sunday after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Saathoff.

Arthur Lutz returned to Morenci, Arizona, Wednesday, after having spent several days in the home of his mother, Mrs. August Lutz, and taking part as best man in the Lutz-Rieber wedding.

## LUTZ-RIEBER

The wedding of Miss Corine Rieber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber, and Louis Joseph Lutz, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Lutz and the late August Lutz, took place at nine o'clock, Tuesday, November 14, in Holy Cross Church, Reverend Eugene Zuber officiating at the ceremony and the nuptial high mass. The main altar was beautifully decorated with bouquets of white chrysanthemums in crystal vases.

The bride was escorted by her father to the sanctuary, where she was met by the bridegroom and his brother, Arthur Lutz, who assisted as best man. She was lovely in her gown of white brocade satin fashioned with a shirred bodice and gored skirt extending into a train. The leg o' mutton sleeves formed a point at the wrist and flowers of self material adorned the shoulders. A long tulle veil was shirred to form a cap that was edged with a wreath of orange blossoms. The bride carried a shower bouquet of white carnations.

Mrs. Raymond Wolff, the matron of honor, and Miss Gladys Rieber, bridesmaid, wore floor-length frocks of satin fashioned with Medici collars and short puffed sleeves. Mrs. Wolff was in turquoise and Miss Rieber in peach. Their short tulle veils in colors to match their dresses were attached to wreaths of varicolored flowers and they carried colonial bouquets of bronze chrysanthemums.

Little Norma Wolff, the flower girl, wore a long, quaint dress of

The Agriculture II class has been studying the Government A. A. A. program for the past week, while the first year class is building a chicken house at Billy Fly's home.

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blue satin, and a wreath of pink roses on her pretty curls. The ceremony was followed by reception at the home of the bride's parents.

Early in the afternoon Mr. Mrs. Lutz left on a motor trip to Corpus Christi. For traveling the bride wore a moss green crepe dress with hat to match and black accessories. On their return the young couple will make their home on the Lutz farm at Fort Lincoln.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ende and sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ende, Mr. Joe Monier, Mrs. Christiana Ducos, Mrs. A. J. Monier, Mrs. Clara Nickle of San Antonio; Mrs. W. F. Knippa, Mrs. Will Knippa Jr., Mrs. Martin Knippa, Mrs. Emma Dicke, and Mrs. Fritz Thane of Knippa; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rieber, Mrs. Hugo Batot, Mrs. Oscar Batot, and Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Lutz of Hondo; Arthur Lutz, Morenci, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haby and family of Rio Medina.

## HERMAN SISTERS MEET

The Herman Sisters met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Brod. After several games of rook Mrs. Alfred Schweers was awarded a prize for high score, Mrs. Linus Tschirhart for low, and Mrs. Bert Simpson for high draw, among members. Among guests Mrs. Louis Carle Jr. received high score, Mrs. Della Ernst low, and Mrs. J. B. Nester drew high. Other members present were Mesdames Ed Nester, Ed Koch, A. L. Braden, John Rieber, Joe Rieber, Lena Langfeld, Charles Schuehle, Joe Haby, F. G. Muenink and guests, Mrs. Joe Mueller, and Mrs. O. W. Tondre. Delicious refreshments were served.

## COWBOYS WIN LAST GAME OF SEASON

The D'Hanis High School football team, playing on a muddy field, defeated the Camp Wood Tigers here on November 11, the final score being 13 to 6. The game was played before the largest crowd of fans that has ever assembled for football at D'Hanis.

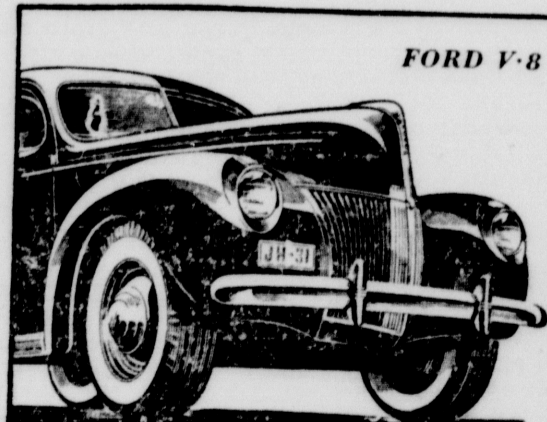
## BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Herman Ney was hostess to the bridge club and a number of additional guests at her home at Thursday afternoon. The living room was beautifully adorned with bouquets of bougainvillea. After games of bridge Mrs. Ed Finger received the high score trophy for members and Miss Stella Finger for guests. Mrs. Arthur Nester held low score and Mrs. Ben Koch high.

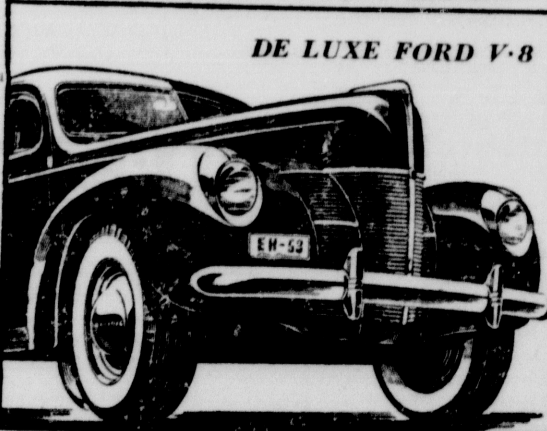
A delicious salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Ed Finger, Ferd Koch, Ben Koch, Henry Piry, A. J. Finger, John Zinsmeier, Eric Rothe, John Rieber, Louis Carle Jr., Arthur Nester, Charles Langfeld, and Misses Tina Rothe, Cornelia Koch, Ursie Lee Rock, Melvera Rothe, Stella Finger and Lucy Rothe.

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